

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS, COMPLETE LISTING OF CLAIMS
IN ASCENDING ORDER WITH STATUS INDICATOR

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Currently Amended) A conductive particle comprising: of which the surface of
a base particle;
core materials disposed on the surface of the base particle; and is covered with
a conductive film or conductive films ~~and which has projections formed by projecting of~~
~~said conductive film or conductive films, wherein a core material for projecting the surface of said~~
~~conductive film is provided on~~ covering the surface of said base particle and said core ~~material~~
materials;
wherein projections are formed on the outer surface of the conductive film or conductive
films; and
wherein the core materials ~~is~~ are composed of a conductive material different from a
conductive material composing said conductive film or conductive films.
2. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 1, wherein each of
said core ~~material~~ materials has a shape in lump form.
3. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the
outermost surface of said conductive film is a gold layer.
4. (Currently Amended) A conductive particle comprising:
a base particle; ~~wherein said conductive particle has a~~
core materials ~~material in particle form, composed of a conductive material, disposed on~~
the surface of ~~a~~ the base particle and made of a conductive material; and,
a plated coat covering the surface of said base particle and said core ~~material~~ materials;
~~are covered with a plated coat and said conductive particle has~~

wherein projections are formed ~~by projecting of on~~ the outer surface of said plated coat ~~by thus covering said core material.~~

5. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 4, wherein at least 80% or more of said core materials ~~material~~ existing on the surface of said base particle contacts with said base particle or exists within a range of 5 nm from said base particle.

6. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 4 or 5, wherein the outermost surface of said plated coat is a gold layer.

7. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 1 or 4, wherein said core materials ~~material is~~ are composed of at least one or more species of metal.

8. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 1 or 4, wherein said base particle is a resin particle.

9. (Currently Amended) The conductive particle according to claim 1 or 4, wherein an average height of said projections ~~projection portions~~ projecting is 0.5% or more of an average particle diameter of ~~the~~ said conductive particle ~~particles~~.

10. (Currently Amended) An anisotropic conductive material comprising a resin binder ~~and, wherein~~ the conductive particle ~~particles~~ according to claim 1 or 4 ~~are~~ dispersed in ~~a~~ said resin binder.